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1. IN LINE WITH PARA 4 REFTEL, ON AUGUST 16 I INFORMED DANISH DEFENSE MINISTER ORLA MOLLER AND PERMANENT UNDER SECRETARY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS EIGIL JORGENSEN OF THE TERMINATION OF MAAG IN DENMARK. I THEN EXPLAINED TO BOTH MEN PLANS TO RETAIN THREE MEMBERS OF US ARMED FORCES TO ASSIST THE CHIEF OF MISSION TO CARRY OUT SECURITY ASSISTANCE FUNCTIONS. BOTH MEN NOTED OUR DECISION. ORLA MOLLER THOUGHT IT WAS "WISE" AND OPINED THAT THREE MEN SHOULD BE ABLE TO PERFORM THE MOST ESSENTIAL FUNCTIONS WHICH HAD HERETOFORE BEEN ACCOMPLISHED BY A LARGER STAFF.

2. EIGIL JORGENSEN SAID THAT WHEN DANISH GOVERNMENT IS FORMALLY INFORMED IN WRITING OF THIS DECISION IT WILL EXPRESS ITS DEEP APPRECIATION FOR THE WORK THAT HAS BEEN ACHIEVED BY MAAG IN DENMARK.

3. ON AUGUST 16 MY MAAG CHIEF ALSO INFORMED THE DANISH DEFENSE STAFF OF THIS DECISION.

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